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MAIN LAW IS DRASTIC

Bartender Who Sold to Policeman in Citizens' Clothes.

THE LICENSE IS REVOKED

Only Two Saloons in Princess Anne and They Are to Be Prosecuted. Miss Eula Denson, the Actress, is Nearly Drowned.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NORFOLK, VA., Aug. 5.—Judge Hancock, of the Corporation Court, today revoked the license of E. A. Perry, under which John Stevenson, bartender, sold liquor on Sunday, June 12th, to a policeman in citizen's clothes. Stevenson was fined \$100 and sentenced to jail for sixty days. The license cost \$550. Such are the drastic provisions of the new Mann liquor law. Stevenson noted an appeal and gave bail to stay out of jail.

In Princess Anne county, where there are only two licensed saloons, seventy-five witnesses have been summoned before the grand jury on Monday to give evidence against illegal liquor selling.

RUNNER ARRESTED.
Frank Moore, a sailor boarding-house runner, was arrested this afternoon and held for hearing to-morrow before United States Commissioner Bowden. He is accused of shipping Peter Nelson, a negro, to Hamburg on the Spanish steamer Diana, which left on June 21st last. Nelson says his wages—\$25—were paid to Moore for alleged debt, and when he arrived at Hamburg the captain put him off penniless.

ACROSS NEARLY DROWNED.
Miss Eula Denson, of Richmond, known as Eula Lee on the stage, narrowly escaped drowning at Virginia Beach yesterday. She was rescued from the undertow by Field Wilson, of Richmond. She was frightened and was struggling desperately when reached. She was revived at the nearest cottage.

SEVERAL CASES IN BANKRUPTCY.
D. Lawrence Groner, referee in bankruptcy, announced the following payments on the estates in his charge:
Richard Land, dividend of 10 per cent., amounting to \$531, to be followed by another dividend of 15 per cent.; total, \$2,390.

Samuel D. Hardy, physician of Norfolk county, had an estate consisting of a horse, cow, mule and several broods of chickens, which sold for \$400. This was divided among the secured creditors.

C. H. Brown made a loss by the fire two years ago in the Columbia building and paid the banks, as secured creditors, from real estate, \$3,000. The balance, consisting of a stock of wines and liquors, sold for less than \$500 and was used for rent and court costs. The general creditors got nothing.

Carey & Co., tailors, pay a 10 per cent. dividend now, and another later, amounting to \$1,100, on debts of \$6,000.

W. H. Leontizer, clerk, pays 10 per cent. in wages due of \$150 from the railway for which he works.

B. Miller, pays a dividend to those creditors whose claims had not been proved before of 5 per cent. The largest of these is D. Laffer, of \$26,255, who gets \$1,312.25.

Williamson & Sykes, furniture merchants, there are three distributions against them, the last of which amounts to \$2,210, and that settles the estate.

JUDGE WADDILL'S DECISIONS.
Judge Waddill decided to-day two important cases pending in the United States Court. One was the suit of the schooner R. D. Graham against the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railway for a collision off Thinking Light a year ago. The schooner sued for \$5,000 damages, and Judge Waddill decides that the schooner is entitled to recover damages ascertained by a commissioner. In the suit of the Union Norfolk and Berkley Railway, Judge Waddill dismissed the case as settled outside of court. The suit was concerning the location of the railway switches.

BLOOD POISON.
Robert Carson, about twenty-five years old, died at St. Vincent Hospital to-night at 11:30 o'clock from blood poison. He was a barkeeper for M. Keitt, in City Hall Avenue, on last Saturday. He punctured his arm with an ice pick. He paid no attention to the wound, which was slight, till his hand and arm swelled and blood poison set in.

PROHIBITION AND EVANGELICAL ASS'N

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
LEESBURG, VA., August 5.—The twenty-sixth annual meeting of the Prohibition and Evangelical Association of Loudoun, now being held at Purcellville, is being attended by very large crowds. Yesterday, the first day of the meeting and the occasion of the dedication of the new auditorium, it is estimated that over three thousand were present. The auditorium seats at the least four thousand. The addresses of dedication were delivered by Dr. Silas Swallow, a noted divine of Tennessee; Dr. J. H. Dulaney, of Maryland, and the Rev. L. A. Cutler, a noted prohibition advocate of Virginia. A well known evangelist, will deliver lectures daily. The service of yesterday afternoon was very interesting, representatives of all the county Sunday-schools taking part in the musical and literary programme.

Wednesday and Thursday there will be speaking on the subject of prohibition by the Rev. George Stuart and others. Special W. C. T. U. services will be held on Friday, the chief speaker being Mrs. B. N. Burgess, of New York, and Sunday will be conducted by the Rev. G. N. Briggs, of Alabama.

DROWNED BY HIS GUN

Strapped it to His Back and Tried to Swim a Creek.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WILMINGTON, N. C., August 5.—Gen. L. Malpass, son of J. L. Malpass, of Currie, Pender county, was drowned last Saturday in Moore's Creek. He was out hunting squirrels, and when returning home, he undertook to swim the creek with his gun strapped on his back. The weight of his clothing and the gun exhausted him and he was drowned. The young man was about sixteen years of age and was a good swimmer.

GOVERNOR'S BALL

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WINCHESTER, VA., Aug. 5.—Governor and Mrs. J. M. W. W. were the guests of honor at an elaborate entertainment given at Jordan White Sulphur Springs, tonight. The Governor's party was a glittering assemblage of Virginia youth and beauty.



We seldom fear a danger that we cannot see. The danger of being run-down by a horse is a very real one to everybody, the danger of being murdered by a microbe does not trouble us. And yet the minute microbe is more dangerous than the wildest horse.

The only people who can afford to fear the microbe of disease are those who keep their blood pure and rich. These are practically immune from the attacks of most microbes.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery purifies and enriches the blood, and gives the body a vigorous vitality. It cures scrofula, eczema, boils, pimples and all other eruptive diseases which are caused by impure blood.

"I had been troubled for about four years with eczema, or a skin disease, which at times was almost unbearable as it would not leave me alone. I was told to try Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and after using five bottles I was entirely cured. Please accept many thanks."

Accept no substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery." There is nothing "just as good" for diseases of the blood.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation and its consequences.

FRONT ROYAL HORSE SHOW

A Splendid Crowd and a Successful First Day.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FRONT ROYAL, VA., August 5.—To-day, the first day of the Front Royal Horse Show, could not have dawned a more beautiful day. The sun was not very warm and a delightful breeze stirred all day. Undoubtedly the races at this place gathered at the fair grounds, where at 10 o'clock this morning began the most successful of Front Royal's horse shows.

Although the officers of the Horse Show Association have had the ground for the last two weeks, they had to work until after dark Tuesday night to finish the extensive preparations which have been made to accommodate the immense crowd in attendance.

One hundred feet of private boxes, forty stalls, and a handsome judge's stand are among the recent improvements. Summaries:

Heavy draught stallions—Tambour first, Valentine second.

Special class—Silver cup given by Mr. C. Smith, of Warrenton, for best colt of 2 years, by his thoroughbred stallion Sir Singleton—Linden J. Hall first, Miss Smith (Byrd Fletcher) second, Mr. Dolley (R. M. Marshall) third.

Best suckling colt or filly, by Warren Horse Company's, Bercheron stallion, Valentine—Dezelle (Bilden Updike) first, Mary (Scott Weaver) second, Valentine (C. F. Thornton) third.

Best colt or filly by Warren Horse Company's French draught stallion, Tam-bour—Dolley first, Scott Jennings second, Valentine third.

Horse in harness, 15.2 hands and under—Bounce (Chas. Mullikin) first, Davis (E. W. Stanford) second, Bounce (Burwell R. Green) third.

Park hacks, over 15.2 hands—Blank (Rogers Bros.) first, Torchlight (Gas. D. H. J.) second, Scout (H. M. Duttrell) third.

Thoroughbred hunters—Conflicting-Euse (Portner Bros.) first, Lillian Russell (Fritts and Dearmond) second, McLimere (Portner Bros.) third.

Green hunters—Boxer (H. H. Dulaney) first, Ivanhoe (H. M. Luttrell) second, Second Choke (L. A. Warthen) third.

Hunter race, 12.2 miles—Charles O'Malley (James D. Hall) first, Lillian Russell (Fritts and Dearmond) second, Conflicting-Euse (Portner Bros.) third.

Heavy weight hunters—Bachelor (H. H. Dulaney) first, Perfection (C. Lindsay) second, Missa (Wm. Randolph) third.

Girl's Body Found.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WINCHESTER, VA., Aug. 5.—The body of little Helen Green, who was drowned yesterday in the town run during a flood, was found late last night and was buried to-day.

WIRE PULLING IN WYTHEVILLE

Manager of Electric Light Co. Charged With Stealing Wire from the Town.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WYTHEVILLE, VA., August 5.—L. D. Calfee, manager of the Brown Electric Light Company, which has been the lessee of the light plant of the town of Wytheville for several years past, was arrested to-day on a warrant sworn out for larceny of wires and tried before Mayor Terry and discharged.

The trouble grows out of the fact that the franchise for lighting the town was recently sold to the Stone Electric Light and Power Company, and at the same time the old plant owned by the town and operated by the Brown Company as lessee was sold to the same company. The council of the town held a meeting to-day and directed Mr. Calfee as manager of the Brown Company to turn over the plant to the Stone Company. This he at first declined to do, but afterwards reconsidered and turned the plant over, but removed some of the wires, and for this the warrant was sworn out.

Further litigation is likely to follow.

CLAIM SELF-DEFENSE

Charles Abernathy Gives His Version of Shooting Nephew.

CONDEMNATION CASES

The Southern Hat Works Will Remain in Petersburg—Rev. Dr. W. C. Taylor of Indianapolis Called to the First Baptist Church.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PETERSBURG, VA., August 5.—Judge Mullen, of the Corporation Court, this morning rendered his decision in the condemnation cases of the Norfolk and Western Railway Company against DeJarnette and the Norfolk and Western Railway against Godsey and Perkins. The court set aside the awards of the commissioners in each case on the ground that the damages allowed the land owners were excessive. A new set of commissioners will be appointed in each case. The defendants excepted to the ruling of the court, and were allowed sixty days in which to file bills of exception. Mr. R. H. Mann represented the land owners, Mr. George Bernard and Judge W. H. Mann represented the railway company.

SELF-DEFENSE.

Charles Abernathy, who shot and seriously wounded his nephew, Henry Abernathy, several days ago, was in the city to-day, and said he acted in self-defense. Mr. Abernathy conducts business in Dinwiddie county, near the town of New Kent. He had been broken into, he says, and robbed; that he tracked the alleged robbers and finally overtook his nephew and another young man on the public road.

He accused his nephew of having committed the robbery and in the difficulty that followed he claims that he shot his nephew in self-defense. Young Abernathy is under treatment at the Home Hospital, and his condition is improving. He is now in a very dangerous condition, his wound is an exceedingly dangerous one.

The Southern Hat Works, which it was reported last week, would be removed from Petersburg to Richmond, will remain in this city and continue to conduct their business at their present plant.

DR. TAYLOR CALLED.
The only Baptist pulpit in Petersburg at present vacant is that of the First Baptist Church, and a call has just been extended by the Board of Christian Work, C. Taylor, of Indianapolis, Ind. So that the report to the effect that Rev. A. B. Woodfin is considering a call to Petersburg is an error.

Mr. Robert L. Watson, Jr., sustained a loss of \$700 by the burning of his saw mill in Surry county a few nights ago. There was an insurance of \$500.

It is not likely that the Common Council will expend \$10,000 for an armory for the new military company, as reported at the present time. They will doubtless provide temporary quarters for the company until they can spare the sum necessary to build an armory.

CHURCH EXCURSION.
West End Baptist Church expects to carry a very large excursion party to West Point next Tuesday under the management of Mr. W. G. Owen. Mr. Owen expects to have many Richmond and Manchester people join the excursion.

The committee of Mrs. H. Nollenius is still critical.

Mr. Charles Watson has gone on a visit to the State of Maine.

Mrs. A. W. Franklin left this morning for Ashland, N. C., where for two months she will be a guest at "The Oaks" Hotel.

"My College Chum," which was so well received at Fendale Park Casino, was presented for the last time this evening. The comedy drama, a comedy drama, will be the offering for the rest of the week.

SUIT FOR DIVORCE

Lamb's Club, of Philadelphia, to Visit Winchester.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WINCHESTER, VA., Aug. 5.—Mrs. Anne J. Hepper, of Shenandoah county, has entered suit in the Circuit Court of this county for a divorce from her husband, James W. Hepper, who is a commissioner of revenue for Ashby District.

The couple are the parents of eight children and Mrs. Hepper is a daughter of Frederick Long.

Miss Annie Douglas Beverley has issued an invitation to a dance to be held Friday evening at the home of her parents, Captain and Mrs. J. B. Beverley, on Stuart Street, in honor of the Misses Mary and Margaret Stokes, of Rockville, Md.

The "Lamb's Club," of Philadelphia, is to visit Winchester about the 25th of the month. There will be nearly two hundred in the party and they are expected to bring a fine band and hold a "camp fire" at Court House Hall.

Mr. C. H. has received a letter from John Murphy, of Murphy's Hotel, Richmond, in which he requests the veterans to show every courtesy to the Lamb's Club, which comprise many of his friends.

SECRETLY MARRIED TO PRETTY YOUNG WIDOW

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ROANOKE, VA., August 5.—Mr. Thomas M. Bickers, telegraph operator in the office of the general superintendent of the Norfolk and Western, and Mrs. Helen Wade, a pretty young widow, were secretly married on the 11th of June, but now of Durham, N. C.

The groom went to his boarding house and the bride to her home, and the marriage was not made public until to-day, when they went boarding together as man and wife.

Barn Burned by Lightning.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
ROANOKE, VA., August 5.—The barn of D. E. Dekaver, commissioner of primary and secondary schools, was destroyed by lightning yesterday afternoon and totally destroyed with contents. The loss is about \$1,000 and \$400 insurance.

Tilman—Turner.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Aug. 5.—J. Dean Tilman, formerly of Charlottesville, and Miss Nannie Turner, of the University of Virginia, Rev. John B. Turpin, of First Baptist Church, officiating. Upon their marriage, the bride and groom will reside at Durham.

Tidewater Christian Convention.
(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
NEWPORT NEWS, VA., Aug. 5.—The principal business of the second day's session of the Tidewater Christian Church Convention was a discussion of foreign and home missions, church extension and material relief. George J. Lindner delivered a notable address on "Our Debt to the Jews."

The Democratic County Executive Committee met and decided to have a primary election August 10th, to nominate the county officers and members of the House of Delegates, and to hold district conventions to nominate district officers and members of the Executive Committee. The latter is questionable as to party law.

Senator Barksdale has been present to observe a unique trick. One of the candidates carried a load of apples, and dumped them on a grassy plot and told all to help themselves. They were free of charge.

The scramble was almost equal to a lot of boys after a new piece of candy. They began, some with their hands, others with boxes and cans, and it was a scene.

Several snap-shots were gotten of the scene. The candidates are very numerous, some withdrawing and new ones entering the race.

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Great Western Champagne

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The majorities by counties are as follows:

For Patterson:	
Buckingham	169
Charlotte	317
For Pettit:	
Fluvanna	214
Appomattox	310

There was a persistent rumor afloat last night to the effect that Captain Patterson had lost Buckingham and that Mr. Pettit was the nominee, but this by no means bore out by the official returns. The official returns show that Mr. Pettit was carried by 169 majority.

The official returns from Appomattox, however, show that Mr. Pettit was carried by 317 majority. The official returns from the county by about 100 majority.

Will Not Be Changed.

From the best information to be gathered from all sources late last night, it is believed that the above figures are practically correct, and that they will not be materially altered by the official count. It is still shown that Captain Patterson is nominated, as now seems certain, the return of the old war horse to public life, will be a most interesting political event.

He is far advanced in years, but is still a man of great mental activity. Captain Patterson has been quite a sufferer from rheumatism for several years, but has grown better recently. He has been a figure in public life from 1860, and has been a member of the House of Representatives for many years.

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TO SETTLE OUT OF COURT

Twenty Whites and Two Blacks Put on the Books.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
KEYSVILLE, VA., August 5.—A warrant has been issued by the County of John, for the arrest of James A. Bailey, of Keyville, who shot at Mr. Thomas McNeely, one of the judges of election, last Saturday night. The friends of the parties are endeavoring to settle the matter without a prosecution.

Information has just been received of the sudden death of Mr. James A. Bailey, near Keyville, of heart trouble, brought on by over-exertion in nursing his husband, whose death occurred on Friday.

Mr. Bailey was sixty-nine years of age, and leaves six children, one of whom, Mr. Rich G. Bailey, is in business in Keyville.

The Walton District Registration Board, composed of Messrs. Lee W. Morton, James W. Watkins, and J. H. Hester, Friday last held a meeting. Only twenty white and two colored voters were placed on the registration books.

TO INVESTIGATE CRISMOND'S BOOKS

A Porch Climber Sits the Ladies of Fredericksburg.

Property Sales.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., August 5.—Judge R. E. Waller, of the County Court of Spotsylvania, has increased the number composing the committee to investigate the affairs of the clerk's office of that county to four, and added the name of Mr. E. H. DeJarnette, Jr. It will be remembered that the clerk of this court, J. P. H. Crismond, disappeared about a month ago, and it is thought the accounts of the office are somewhat confused. Investigation will begin in a short time.

A strange man attempted a few nights ago to enter the residence of Mrs. E. A. Lewis, on Prince Edward Street, through a second story window, having climbed the roof of the back porch. He was seen by the screams of Mrs. Lewis, but he made two other attempts to enter the house by the same means since, and each time was scared off by the loud screams of Mrs. Lewis.

The incident has caused all of the neighbors to be on the alert, and a watch has been set for the miscreant.

The property belonging to the estate of the late William M. Baggott, of Spotsylvania county, was sold from this city, yesterday, at a public sale, by the sheriff.

A tract of 200 acres was purchased by Mr. William Houser for \$1,800, and a small tract of wood land of the same estate was purchased for \$200.

The land belonging to the estate of the late John Haydon, of this city, located in Spotsylvania county, was also sold at auction and purchase, the sale made by different parties, the sale made by different parties, the sale made by different parties.

Another farm of 200 acres of land on the North Anna River was purchased by Mr. G. G. Mills, of Manchester, Va., for \$2,000.

Mr. E. E. Buckner, who was a member of the Civil War, has been heard from recently at New Orleans, where he is an inmate of the Confederate Home there, and was recently stricken with paralysis.